

The Lemon Grove REVIEW

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by Ninette Sosa

Halloween means "hallow's eve" — eve of All Hallows, or All Saints. The date, Oct. 31, is recognized by traditional Catholic and Protestant churches in memory of the holy ones who have passed on to heaven.

Halloween is not celebrated south of the border, but rather "El Día de los Muertos," the Day of the Dead. The Day of the Dead is also called All Souls Day, Nov. 2, and is an important holiday in Latino culture, within or without the United States.

The similarity between the two holidays is the idea of a night when spirits of the deceased are alive. The Mexican tradition has three days of celebration. On Oct. 31, special "ofrendas" (offerings) are made to the dead by their families. The offerings are cakes, other sweets and a toy or two, set out for the "angelitos," the child angels.

On "El Día de Todos Santos" (All Saints Day), Nov. 1, it is believed that dead children return to visit their homes. Parents of these children try to make sure the children's souls can find their way to the house by decorating the cemetery and lining the streets with petals from yellow marigolds, a special flower of the dead. The petals lead from the

cemetery to the doorstep of the dead child's home. There is also music in the midnight air as men and boys go house to house singing to the dead souls.

Nov. 2, "El Día de los Muertos," is not actually a solemn occasion. For most, it is a fiesta to

which the children look forward. Families decorate with skulls and skeletons. Street vendors sell macabre toys, such as jack-in-the-box coffins from which a skeleton jumps and skeleton-puppets dangling on strings. Children wear death-attire such as masks

which resemble skulls.

Bakeries participate by baking bread of the dead - flat bread made in the shape of men, women or animals with their garments made of colored icing.

As the Mexican tradition is to celebrate the dead, the belief is that we all live day-to-day waiting for death. Día de los Muertos is not just for remembering the dead but to remember that life is a motion towards one's own death.

Locally, East County Indians will commemorate All Souls Day.

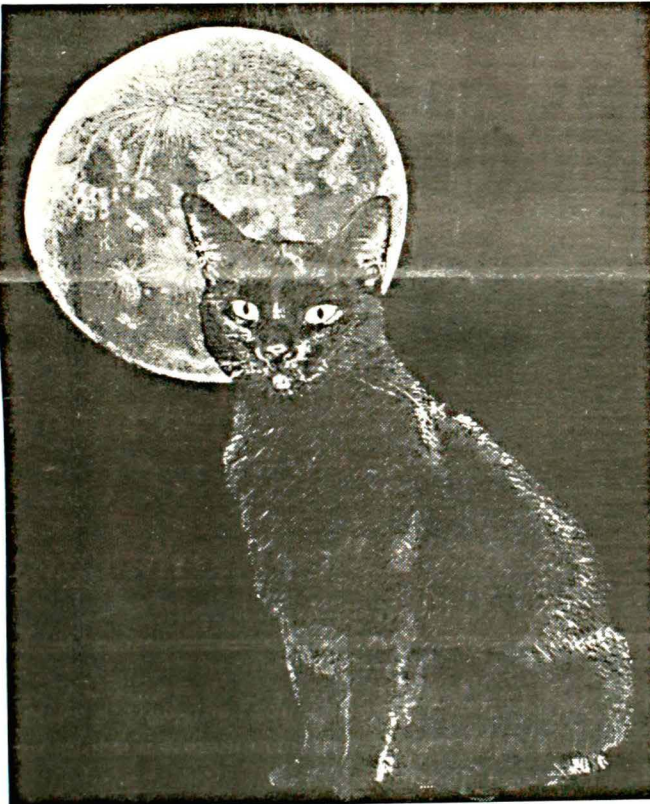
"The experience on the reservation is that the children go trick-or-treating on Halloween," said Father Alan Beauregard from Blessed Kateri Tekakwitha Parish. "But the biggest event for the community is All Souls' Day."

Beauregard's parish comprises three different chapels located on the Barona, Viejas and Sycuan reservations. The community gathers and travels to the missions to celebrate El Día de los Muertos.

The graveyards are cleaned and redecorated, involving all the families. When the gravesites are cleaned, fresh silk flowers are placed on the graves, giving the cemetery new life.

Mass is held at 10 a.m., followed by the blessing of the grave, the candle-lighting ceremony and then a potluck. A celebration

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Halloween can be a scary night for black cats

by Cynthia O'Neill

The Halloween party is all set. "Gallons of Goop," your very own creation, boils mysteriously on the stove. The guacamole is suspiciously brown and lumpy. Everybody will go gooky over the grape eyeballs floating in the punch. You look great in your foot-long spiked cut, and your husband leers next to you in his wolf-suit. The only thing you need is a black cat. Yeah, that'll do the trick — not!

A recent newsflash of about a week ago raised quite a few eyebrows. The San Diego Humane Society had a moratorium placed on the adoption of black cats. Tobi Nyberg of the society said that for the last several years, such a moratorium has been in response to the best interest of the cats.

"Anyone who really wants a black cat can adopt it on Nov. 1," she said. "People who want to adopt cats don't usually do so upon the basis of color anyway."

The moratorium, though not a law, is the Humane Society's own choice in dealing with the matter of black cats who are wrongfully

treated during All Hallows Eve. Sometimes people injure them or make them very uncomfortable by putting costumes on them and using them for pranks, Nyberg said. Since black cats are so often associated with witchcraft, the moratorium protects the animals.

At the El Cajon Animal Shelter, Services Manager Dolores Keyes said black cats were not adoptable a week before or after Halloween.

"Mostly we're not concerned with Satanic rituals, but the attitude that 'oh, it's just what we need for the party,'" she said. "People who adopt for solely that purpose tend to think the cat is dispensable afterwards."

Keyes said no complaints have been made yet this year by people interested in adopting. But she does remember occasions in the past. Pet stores in East County see less of a threat to the animals. Parkway Pet Center did stop adoption of black cats last year a couple of weeks before Halloween, but since black cats are not specifically requested by most people, the store takes a business as usual attitude.

Similarly, at Mike's Aquarium and Pet

Centers in Spring Valley, black cats are seldom asked for anyway. Besides, people who would want to do harm to a cat are not willing to pay \$50 or \$60 for the animal.

Concerning Halloween, the agency most stringent on the safety of cats — of all colors — is Friends of Cats in Lakeside. Jackie Bennett, general office manager of the 68-year-old organization, says that out of a desire to protect cats from the escalation of gang activities, cats of any color are barred from adoption until November the first.

"We've noticed an increase in the news about the incidents of torture of these animals, and that is something we just will not tolerate," said Bennett. "So you can come by any time on Tuesday through Sunday from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. to pet the cats as long as you like — in fact, we encourage it," she said.

"But if you have your eyes on a particular cat to adopt, you'll just have to be a little patient."

So for the Halloween party, you might just have to settle for throwing a few more eyeballs into the punch for effect.

Compromise reached on SR 125 ramp

by Marilyn Phenow

The steadfast gridlock between Lemon Grove and Spring Valley leaders over proposed state Route 125 ramps for Troy and Palm streets came to an end last Friday at Caltrans headquarters in Old Town.

Representatives of the two communities emerged from a five-hour debate ready to find a neighborly agreement that would allow an overpass at Troy Street to connect Spring Valley and Lemon Grove, and subject any future offramps in the city of Lemon Grove to residents' approval.

Lemon Grove, Spring Valley, the county and Caltrans have played hardball with each other for the past eight months. Lemon Grove residents complained at city council meetings that the building of proposed ramps in their city would not be acceptable under any terms.

A prominent concern has been the safety of school children, as the proposed ramps would be built just down the street from three Lemon Grove schools.

Caltrans predicts that an estimated 10,000 cars would travel down the streets if the ramps were built. Without the ramps, the number of average daily trips would drop to 7,000.

Other residents made it known from the start that losing their land and homes to build what they called "monolithic towering walls of concrete" for the ramps should not happen within their city. Lemon Grove Mayor Bob Burns stood solidly behind these concerns.

Spring Valley residents, on the other hand, have viewed the proposed ramps as vital to the life of their industrial communities on Bancroft and Olive drives. Spring Valley Chamber of Commerce President Dan Reed has called the Troy/Palm corridor "the artery that holds the community of Spring Valley." The proposed ramps would provide an easy access for commuters into the area.

For the last few months, officials from the chamber, Spring Valley Planning Group and the San Miguel Consolidated Fire District have been urging the Board of Supervisors to rally behind them by approving the ramps. The county would have the last word at approving the ramps when it signed the freeway

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Mt. Miguel El Trovador News Briefs

New Principal Russ Boehmke, formerly a vice principal at Monte Vista, took over from Brian Smith this week. Mr. Smith is now the principal at Valhalla High School; his secretary Mary Boudreau has joined him there. Joining Mr. Boehmke as principal's secretary is Jo Allyn Morris, formerly principal's secretary at Valhalla.

The varsity football team moved into Homecoming with a record of 4-2. They host Monte Vista with kick off at 7:30 p.m with the Homecoming Queen and King to be announced at half time. The nominees for Queen are: Nechelle Fabiana, Vannesa Burties, Aimee Tangog, Rachel Mosqueda, and Milonyce McAfee. The nominees for King are: Nick Hedstrom, Calvin Reed, Demetrius Flagg, and Davis Willis.

Isaac Davis and Charlene Bithel will perform the national anthem at the Homecoming assembly and the game.

The Homecoming dance will be held at the San Diego Community Concourse on Saturday from 8 p.m. to midnight. The theme this year is "When forever begins."

Staff news: Campus Supervisor Jimmy Hurst has been selected as the new Varsity Girl's Basketball coach. The new Girl's Cross Country Coach is Mount Miguel graduate Chris Tiller. In baby news, Science teacher Dan Howard and his wife welcomed the arrival of Natalie Ann this month, Special Education aide Billie Sauls gave birth to a son, and Dave Stanley and his family welcomed granddaughter Jessica. Joining the staff are Albert Martin, English as a Second Language/ Bilingual Dept; Jeff Wood in Business; Jerry Case in Science and Business; Carolyn Ott in Physical Education.

The Editor for this month's column is Freshman Emma Vissuet. The staff cub reporters contributing are Deia Mavromatis, Giezelle Humphrey, Melissa Sampson, Jane Reyes, Phung Pham, Randy Padama, Alma Mena, Lizzette Nelson, and Kiela Smith.

Lemon Grove Sheriff Log

Aug. 14-Oct. 7, 1995

3500 blk. West St. Residential burglary. VCR (Zenith) \$200 value.

Oct. 13-16, 1995

6600 blk. Federal Blvd. Commercial burglary. Blank payroll. \$10 value.

Oct. 15-19, 1995

7500 blk. Madison Ave. Vehicle Burglary. Tools/phone. \$813 value.

Oct. 16, 1995

8000 blk. Broadway. Strong-arm robbery. Cash/jewelry/coins. \$700 value.

1800 blk. Massachusetts Ave. Auto theft. '73 Trailer O/Wt. \$700 value.

Oct. 18-19, 1995

2100 blk. Rebecca Way. CDF Unif./Compu. \$4,245 value.

Oct. 20, 1995

8100 blk. Mazer St. Residential burglary. Sega/Cass.CD. \$1,000 value.

WEATHER

The following information was provided by the Lemon Grove Fire Department.

	High	Low
Oct. 18	74	60
Oct. 19	74	56
Oct. 20		
Oct. 21	74	61
Oct. 22		
Oct. 23	77	51
Oct. 24	80	49

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B Words

Personal comments from Mayor Bob Burns

SR 125

Are we good neighbors or what? Is the Troy Street ramp problem impossible? No. Can we negotiate in good faith? yes.

With a real applause to Walt Lester of the Spring Valley Planning Group, we hammered out an agreement. The ramps at Palm and Troy streets will be put on hold. The future development of the Bancroft area designated for commercial development will be held in abeyance. The ramps that would have allowed a southbound access and a northbound off ramp for state Route 125 at Troy Street will not be built.

Caltrans has contended that the freeway will work with or without the ramps. Lemon Grove has adamantly opposed them for the safety of children and the impacts of the additional traffic that will impact the city.

The impasse that has caused a delay to the agreements from both the county and the city of Lemon Grove regarding the ramps has been solved. When reasonable people get together and when good-faith negotiations take place, good things can happen.

What has been agreed upon is that the ramps will not be constructed. However, there will be a movement by the city of Lemon Grove to isolate, if you will, the land that might eventually become the ramps at Troy and Palm Streets as it joins the SR 125. What has been proposed is that a special treatment area, and overlay of the footprint where the ramps would possibly be constructed.

The purpose is to prevent a development, such as a Kmart, to be constructed in the area, and thereby cause Caltrans an additional expense to procure the land

for the ramps. It would be by a stipulation in our General Plan, that could be determined a special treatment area, and held for a future transportation use.

The present uses would not be disturbed, only limited in what future development could be put on the land.

The Spring Valley contingent has agreed to this in that it does not preclude future development in the Bancroft area. The access from state Route 94 must be retained and the future of the Troy Street ramps are a retained possibility. What will happen in the future is always a question. How the development of Spring Valley will occur is a thing of the future. How Lemon Grove will view the SR 125-Troy Street intersection may well change. What we hope is that all options are left open and not cut off by present decisions.

My proposal is to keep options open with the retention of the safeguards that are presently needed. What may be feasible, and acceptable to both Spring Valley and Lemon Grove in the future, is certainly open to speculation.

I believe that the present agreement is a sensible and sound one that addresses both sides. It should keep us together as good neighbors, and look to the future with mutual understanding. No one can predict the future, and we should not presume to do so. But we must be aware of the possibilities and we should be respectful of all concerned.

We all need SR 125 and we must do all that we can to accommodate it. Always, reasonable people can compromise and come to a satisfactory conclusion. I hope that this is one of those times!

Lemon Grove Fire Log

Sept 17 through Sept. 27

8400 blk. Broadway. Difficulty breathing.
3200 blk. New Jersey Ave. Fall.
1900 blk. Ensenada St. Difficulty breathing.
7400 blk. Central Ave. Unconscious.
Lemon Grove Ave./Massachusetts Ave. Traffic accident.
2100 blk. Englewood Dr. Medical aid.
1400 blk. Madera St. Difficulty breathing.
2300 blk. Berry St. Chest pains.
7100 blk. West View Pl. Possible coroner's case.
2100 blk. Berryland Ct. Difficulty breathing.
7100 blk. Broadway. Assault victim.
2700 blk. Corona St. Bleeding.
2700 blk. Olive St. Traffic accident.
8200 blk. Broadway. Assault victim.
1900 blk. Massachusetts Ave. Medical aid.
3200 blk. Main St. Assault victim.
2000 blk. Skyline Dr. Seizure.
1800 blk. La Corta St. Odor of natural gas/residential.
7000 blk. Central Ave. Difficulty breathing.
7400 blk. Pacific Ave. Assault victim.
2700 blk. Lemon Grove Ave. Person down.
8000 blk. Lemon Grove Way. Chest pains.
3200 blk. Harris St. Fall.
Madison Ave./Olive St. Auto vs. bicycle.
7000 blk. Broadway. Child locked in auto.
2600 blk. Grange St. Medic alert alarm.
7500 blk. Canton Dr. Auto vs. pedestrian.
7100 blk. Cabernet Way. Head injury.
1500 blk. Skyline Dr. Possible Heart.
7600 blk. Broadway. Traffic accident.
7900 blk. Broadway. Fall.
7600 blk. Lemon Ave. Residential structure fire.



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Pitching In



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EDD still in limbo

by Howard Owens

The clock is ticking for the Employment Development Department.

Supporters of including EDD in a new career development center slated for construction in El Cajon will learn in a week whether County Board of Education officials are willing to allow the agency in the center.

If EDD is shut out, according to Sally Snyder, East County director of the department, the state agency will close up shop in East County.

In August, county board officials made it clear that EDD wouldn't be welcome in the \$4.5 million facility being constructed jointly by the county board and the Grossmont Union High School District.

"We have to move ahead because we have an obligation to our bond holders," said Don Shelton, the county's vice super-

intendent for business. "I'm also concerned that we not delay because right now the construction market is soft. As far as I'm concerned, this should have gone out to bid yesterday."

About 10 people attended a meeting Tuesday of the Joint Powers Authority committee for the project.

Most of the people were there to make a case for including EDD in the project.

While unable to convince Shelton and county Trustee Jim Kelly to include EDD, Grossmont Trustee Ada Reep did persuade them to listen to a presentation in a week on why EDD is important to the project.

Fred Martinez, Grossmont's vice superintendent for business, expressed concern early in the discussion about delaying the project. Contractual obligations related to the bond sales used to finance the project demand that construction begin soon, he said.

Anti-UN rally draws East County residents

by Joe Naiman

A protest against the United Nations Sunday included some politically active East County residents.

La Mesa's Tim Sprague, who was arrested in 1993 for burning a United Nations flag during a rally, was present at this year's rally. In addition to a U.N. flag, the protesters who gathered at the federal building for this year's rally also burned Cuban and Bosnian flags.

Santee's Bob Scheidt was one of the speakers. "I'm here because I'm concerned that the United Nations is made up of a bunch of people who are concerned about taking away our rights as sovereigns in this country," he said.

"They're trying to turn every one of us into chattel," added Scheidt.

In his speech Scheidt stated that some rights have already been stripped from individuals and families. "If you're a parent trying to raise kids you have no rights."

Jim Harnsberger was another featured speaker. "We are sovereign God-fearing Christian Americans," he said. "This is a

very special nation and for us to enjoy the liberty and the freedom we cannot go out and be subordinate to foreign governments."

Harnsberger gave warning to the federal government, which he claims is trying to take away his rights. "I've got news for the FBI. If they come breaking down my door, I'm going to defend my property."

Despite the rhetoric, the meeting was peaceful. "There haven't been any problems and I don't expect any," said Sgt. Jim Culligan of the San Diego Police Depart-

ment, who observed the gathering.

Although there were no counter-demonstrations, the rally was criticized for not focusing on the United Nations. Speakers also slammed the FBI, Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms, abortion, homosexuality and gun control.

"You've got a whole bunch of people spouting law who know nothing about it," said J. Krim Bohren, a sovereign citizen who lives at Normal Heights. "There's too many emotions here, too much rhetoric. And no truth is passing."



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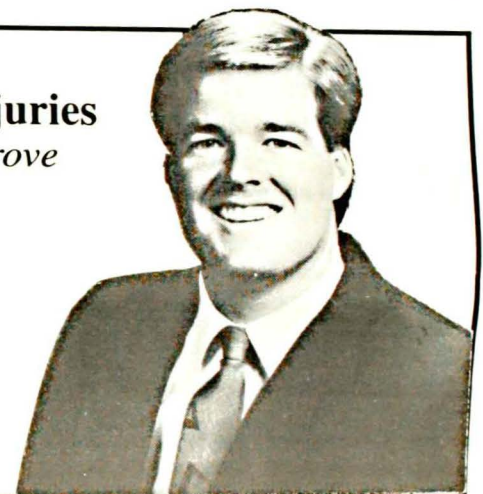
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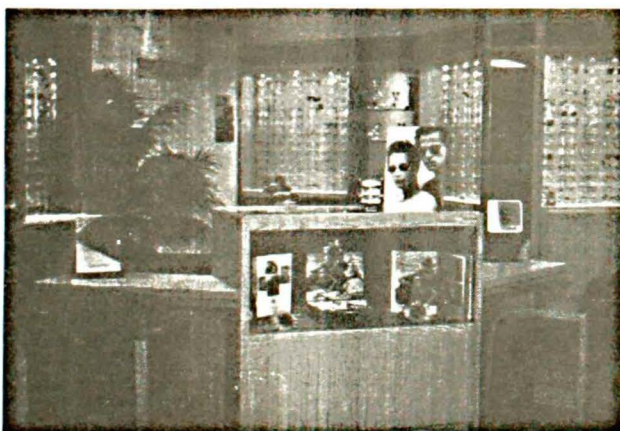
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Commentary

by Paul Treske

The United Nations is very much in the news this week, celebrating its 50th anniversary. New York has been filled with the world's national leaders. Boris was here, as was Yasser and even Fidel showed up, apparently trying for some kind of international acceptance. Toasts were made and praise for the world organization flowed from every source.

Like many others of my generation, I welcomed the formation of the UN with high hopes that it would make a significant contribution to better rapport among nations. And again, like many in the same generation, found bitter disappointment during the cold war as east versus west gridlocked the organization into virtual incapacity.

More aggravating than the cold war standoff was the rapid and seemingly indiscriminate acceptance of newly declared Third World nations which seemed to present no valid credentials for nationhood. There appeared to be no visible criteria for admission other than a new name for an old colonial territory. As a result, the UN quickly became unwieldy with its votes often seemingly meaningless as a result. I sometimes had the impression that the most significant annual action of the General Assembly was to verify, by a close vote, that the earth was indeed round.

True, in a few instances such as the Korean conflict, the timid backing of the UN gave a feeling of internationalism to American efforts to block hostile takeovers. It was not, however, until the end of the cold war in the 1980s that the UN was freed to be at least

Happy Birthday, United Nations

minimally effective on the scene of global politics.

During those dark early days of ineffectiveness, supporters of the UN pointed to its humanitarian work through such programs as UNICEF. I suppose there was effective work done there, but perhaps, as it celebrates its 50th, the greatest accomplishment of the UN is its very survival. Its predecessor, the League of Nations, failed miserably primarily because it lacked U.S. support.

Today, despite all of the negative lessons that isolationism has taught us, many Americans fear involvement in the UN as a prelude to a potential international takeover. Many worry about U.S. troops being sent as peacekeepers to Bosnia, but even more worry that they will be under UN command.

The events of the last 10 years have shown us that, while not the great force we had hoped it would be, the UN has value as a relatively safe stage upon which much international passion can be defused.

At the same time, those militias and survivalists preparing deep in the woods to resist a UN takeover needn't really worry. Despite its gains, the UN remains a rather feeble pussycat, better adapted to speechifying and partying than to any kind of military action. Its few military ventures, such as so-called peacekeeping in Bosnia or Somalia, should lead to no fear among rational human beings about great international conspiracies.

In short, it's better to have the UN than not to have the UN. But anymore praise than that seems quite unwarranted.

Letters to the Editor

Did you Mean it?

I picked up your paper of Sept. 7 in a store at Grossmont Center as I often do. Imagine my surprise to find on Page 4, "The Mean Stream." I would like to know if this is a real newspaper or was this supposed to be an attempt at humor? If so, it failed miserably. There are too many people in today's climate of hate who would take your comments seriously.

Please advise me if there is cause for concern that this is a real paper — or that your paper will never again print something like this. I await your reply, as our organization has written articles for your paper, and we do not wish to be associated with such garbage.

SUZANNE JOHNSON LEVONIAN
El Cajon

Due to an unprecedented number of letters and calls regarding "The Mean Stream," our Sept. 21 edition of the paper explained that it was a piece of political satire. We thought it was funny. We think being mean is un-Christian, if not un-American. — The Editor.

Make raising taxes really hard

I was rather impressed with Bob Burns' ability to be on both sides of an issue in his editorial "Prop. 13 Two-Thirds Threshold Needs Fixing" [Oct. 19].

On the one hand, he had an "affirmative position" on Proposition 13. Yet, the editorial emphasizes the "need" to eliminate the two-thirds requirement, which will result in much higher taxes.

Mr. Burns ignores the reason for the two-thirds requirement as well as the need for lower taxes.

While Prop. 13 extended the two-thirds requirement, the concept goes back to the early 1900s in California. It has been long recognized that it is inequitable for those who don't own property subject to taxation to be able to tip the scales in favor of a property tax hike.

For instance, let's say that one-third of voters rent their residence. If a majority of voters can enact a property tax hike, and nearly all of the renters support the hike (because they don't believe it costs them anything), then a small minority of property owners can cause the tax to be assessed.

Now assume that of all votes, 20 percent are yes votes from property owners. The tax has now passed with approximately a 53 percent yes vote. Yet only about 30 percent of those who are directly subject to the tax voted for it! To remedy this situation, a 2/3 requirement has been established for tax hikes.

Even more important, however, is the need for tax cuts. All taxes have risen enormously in the United States. Families now need two full-time workers rather than one. We have witnessed lower savings, less productivity, more dependence and fewer choices because government spends so much of our money.

If you believe as I do that total taxes are far too

high, you don't solve that problem by making it easier to raise any tax. Politicians always have good-sounding reasons for tax hikes. It is now time for voters to realize that they must vote no on all tax increases, regardless of excuses given by politicians. Otherwise, government will always get bigger.

Mr. Burns' excuse is that if taxes aren't raised, government buildings will fall down and infrastructure collapse.

My first question is why does government need to own buildings? Why not lease, like most businesses? And if government functions are properly limited to protecting individual rights rather than interfering with them, there would be a minimal need for public property in the first place.

Finally, if government must "own" property, it should be on a pay-as-you-go basis. For example, most homeowner associations are unable to obtain loans. Instead, they set up sinking funds. If a building has a 30-year life, they budget an annual amount for adequate maintenance plus 1/30 of the anticipated replacement cost. That way, the cost is not excessive in any given year and over-spending in other areas does not occur. The true economic cost of occupancy is funded in each year's budget.

If I were a cynic, I might believe that government officials intentionally underfund maintenance. This will free up money for them to spend on their pet projects. Later on, they can tell voters there is a crisis and they must vote for higher taxes. After all, who wants the "buildings to fall down"! Or, perhaps they underfund maintenance due to the expectation that they will move up to higher office before a crisis occurs.

Either way, making it easier to raise taxes will only exacerbate the problem.

STEVE GREEN
Santee

I don't usually jump in on these things, but I have to say that as a renter, I'm really tired of being told my vote shouldn't really count on property tax matters. Believe me, it is I, not my landlord, who pays the taxes on this property. — The Editor

Don't drink the fluoride

I really hope you will publish this and then let the taxpayers decide if they want rat poison in the drinking water. I think not. People just do not know what the chemical is and the harmful side effects. If it adheres to the teeth as they claim, it most certainly adheres to other bony parts of the body. Do you have second thoughts about the chemical in your drinking water? The politicians never asked anybody what they wanted, they just went ahead and passed a bill.

RON HOPE
Lakeside

PG Perspectives

by Phillip Giannangeli

What it is
is...

What it is...

If you haven't heard that expression, perhaps you're living some sort of monastic life. Or could it be you're just returning from the cinematic wilderness in an extended search for John Travolta's rumored talent. Weren't sequestered with that famous jury, were you? Well, whatever your reasons might be, what it is...

"What it is" seems to be one of the new methods of explaining something. To someone. It's like putting your arm around that chosen person and bringing him or her into your special fold of understanding. It's not formal or erudite, but it appears to serve as a bridge in much of our contemporary dialogue. What it is, I think, the jargon of our day.

Being so contemporary and widespread, I'm guessing that "what it is" is going to be around for awhile and we're stuck with it: at least until anti-redundancy groups come along and insist on change. Then we'll probably see the formation of Redundantly Correct academics fighting Redundantly Incorrect pragmatists.

In truth, however, the redundancy of it is awfully hard to break. Don't think, though, there aren't other offenders hanging around in our world of contaminated communication. And some of them might be seen as even more offensive than "is is."


All kinds of these redundancies are playing around out there. If the redundancy isn't in word, then it's in meaning. How about the classic "return back" as in "Let's return back to the days when men were men and..." Well, you know the rest. For some reason the redundancy reapscallions can't get it through their redundantly vacuous heads that about the only way you can really go when you return is back. One may try returning forward, but that can only happen in the movies. And even in the movies, it's not very believable. You can try to explain the concept to the redundancy addicts as much as you want, but usually they just return back to the same old arguments over and over again.

One of my favorite redundancies is "high excitement." High excitement? If there is such a state, then where on earth do you find low excitement or mediocre excitement? I have this inkling that excitement is pretty darn hard to tone down, but I could be wrong. Inklings are sometimes open to misinterpretation.


Taking one last whack at this dead horse, I wonder where low excitement would be placed on a comparative scale with deep depression? Can either be modified up or down? It seems excitement and depression kind of set their own tone, don't you think? In today's world, though, who knows.

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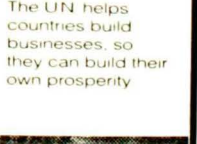
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DEAD

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bration is done at all the missions to celebrate the dead, first at Viejas, Los Conejos at noon, Sycuan at 4 p.m. and Barona at 6:15 p.m. The candle-lighting is done by sunset at all the locations.

The American celebration of Halloween seems only remotely connected to the Eve of All Saints. Even churches make way for the commercial emphasis.

For instance, Santee's Guardian Angels Church has canceled weekly religious education classes this Tuesday in order not to compete with Halloween.

"The church does recognize the Feast of All Saints and All Souls and the children are encouraged to attend masses on these days," said Sister Mary from Guardian Angels. "But the culture is definitely the trick-or-treating aspect of Halloween."

Halloween activities abound in East County. Here are a few:

Methodist Carnival

Lemon Grove United Methodist Church will be hosting its annual Halloween carnival for the children of the community from 6-8 p.m. on Halloween Tuesday, at the church, 3205 Washington Ave. There will be

trick-or-treating, games with prizes, a cakewalk, and a snack bar. Everyone is encouraged to come in costume. For more information, call Susan Farnsworth at 668-2918.

Grossmont Center

Grossmont Center will continue its tradition of offering parents and children a safe, fun environment in which to trick-or-treat. Merchants throughout the mall will be handing out candy from 5 to 6 p.m. on Halloween.

The center, located at 5500 Grossmont Center Dr. in La Mesa, is also hosting its annual costume contest for children ages 2 through 11. Pre-registration for the costume contest begins at 2:30 p.m., and the contest begins at 3:30 p.m. in the Broadway Court. Prizes will be awarded to the top three finishers in each of three age categories: 2-5, 6-8, and 9-11. All children who participate will receive a gift from the Center.

For more information can call 465-2900.

Halloween can be a fun and safe day for the entire family if the following rules are observed:

- Do not eat any treats until

your parents have inspected everything in your trick-or-treat bag.

- Eat a light meal before going out so snacking on the treats will not be tempting.

- Trick or treat only in familiar neighborhoods.

- Trick or treat only with a trusted adult supervising.

- Do not enter the homes of people you do not know.

- If wearing a mask, put it on top of your head between trick-or-treat stops for better visibility.

- Walk, don't run, from house to house.

- Take along coins and call home if there are any problems.

- Decide on a travel route and return time.

Helix honors homecoming court, 'A Team' leaders of the week

by Jeremy Barwick

A lot is going on at Helix High School this week! Congratulations to Helix's 1995 Homecoming Court - Queen Marian Cabuto and King Aminifu Johnson!

Hats off to this week's Helix High Allstar "A" Team! In Academics - Courtney Carpenter; in Attendance - Amy Hamilton;

in Attitude - Claudia Necoechea; in Athletics - Melissa Braun; and in Artistry - Austin Daniels.

Helix also has a new Laptop Computer Lab Tech, Cindy Nelson.

And to top off the week, on Saturday, the Helix Key Club will be giving "Behind the Scenes" tours every hour on the hour.

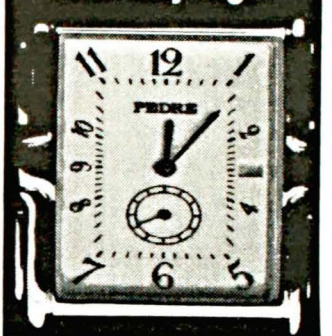
Lemon gets an orchid



The Lemon at Broadway and Lemon Grove Avenue has been a Lemon Grove landmark for decades. It received additional recognition this week when it was awarded an Orchid by the American Institute of Architects, sponsors of the annual Orchids and Onions Awards.

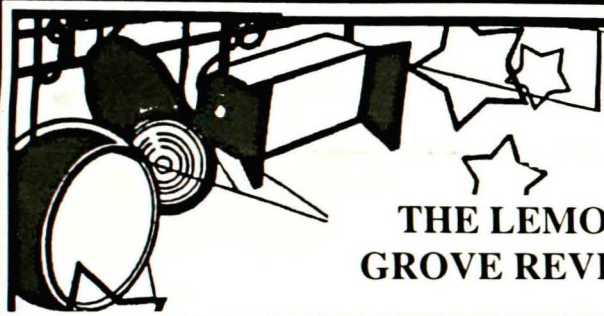
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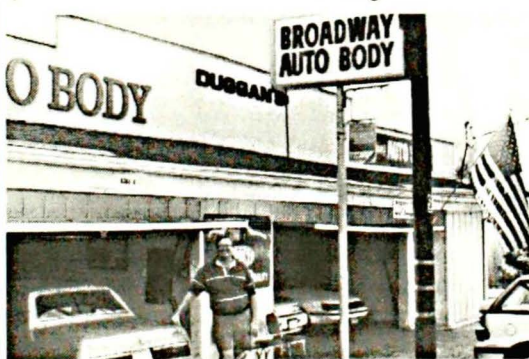
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Curtis Duggan at Duggan's Broadway Auto Body in Lemon Grove.

Duggan's Broadway Auto Body is celebrating its first full year in its new location at 8303 Broadway in Lemon Grove, after being located in Spring Valley for 20 years.

Curtis Duggan said business in Lemon Grove has been very good during the first year of the move, and customers from all over East County are finding their way to Lemon Grove and the services offered at Duggan's Collision and Mechanical Center.

Duggan's continues to lead the way in state-of-the-art diagnostic analysis of collision damages and providing the finest in quality repairs for any type of auto or truck. Besides auto body work, Duggan's now has expanded to mechanical repairs including brakes, drive line, alignment, air conditioning and almost any type of mechanical repair required. Before, Duggan's sublet the mechanical repairs, but now all body and mechanical work is done under one roof in Lemon Grove.

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SR 125

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contract agreement for construction of SR 125 with Caltrans.

But many perceived that Lemon Grove was holding the upper hand over the ramp decision.

"The ball has been in Lemon Grove's court since the gridlock over the ramps began," said Supervisor Dianne Jacobs. "Lemon Grove holds the trump card. As a city, that land is theirs, and their decision rules the outcome of this game."

It wasn't Lemon Grove, however, who produced the winning card at the Friday meeting. Walt Lester, chair of the Spring Valley Planning Group, informed a surprised audience that Caltrans has been considering a plan that

would close the Bancroft Drive exit on state Route 94.

If SR 125 doesn't have an exit to Spring Valley and SR 94's exit is eliminated, Lester said, "Spring Valley's largest industrial area, over 1,500 businesses, will be cut off from access from any major roads."

State Senator Steve Peace was concerned about Lester's news.

"Close down the Highway 94 Bancroft exit? Why in the world would you want to do that?" Peace asked Caltrans Project Director Gary Gallegos. "The impact on Kenwood Street would be astronomical."

"Do yourselves a favor, save the money ... it doesn't make sense to close down the number

one area that provides the Spring Valley economy so much."

Lemon Grove officials apparently agreed with Peace.

"We weren't aware of any of these details," said Burns. "We do have an obligation to review this, and look at our neighbor's situation, what they are facing here."

The Bancroft exit might be eliminated because, by law, freeway interchanges cannot be located within two miles of each other, Gallegos said. He added that the elimination of Bancroft was only one option under Caltrans review.

Lemon Grove and Spring Valley officials agreed unofficially that in exchange for not having ramps at Troy Street, exit and

entrance ramps would remain at Bancroft Drive, with the approval of Caltrans.

"That exit leads into Spring Valley's largest industrial area, not to mention our historical landmark, the Bancroft House," Lester said.

Lemon Grove, Spring Valley

and Caltrans officials will present the solutions for approval by their respective groups in a draft report.

"We're pleased with what happened here today," said Burns. "Essentially, we got what we wanted all this time. The city will agree to the overlay. We still reserve local control."

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NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF CHRISTINE K. CLOUD, aka CHRISTINE KLAUSE CLOUD aka CHRISTINE JANICE CLOUD CASE NO. P166223

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may be otherwise interested in the will or estate, or both, of: CHRISTINE K. CLOUD, aka CHRISTINE KLAUSE CLOUD, aka CHRISTINE JANICE CLOUD.

A PETITION has been filed by CARLA BATES in the Superior Court of California, County of SAN DIEGO.

THE PETITION requests that CARLA BATES be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent. THE PETITION requests that the decedent's WILL and codicils, if any, be admitted to probate. The will and any codicils are available for examination in the file kept by the court.

THE PETITION requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority will allow the personal representative to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the personal representative will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or consented to the proposed action.)

The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority.

A HEARING on the petition will be held on NOV 27, 1995 at 1:45 p.m. in Dept. 35 located at: 220 W. BROADWAY, SAN DIEGO, CA 92101.

IF YOU OBJECT to the granting of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state your objections or file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by your attorney.

IF YOU ARE A CREDITOR or a contingent creditor of the decedent, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed by the court within four months from the date of first issuance of letters as provided in section 9100 of the California Probate Code. The time for filing claims will not expire before four months from the hearing date noticed above.

YOU MAY EXAMINE the file kept by the court. If you are a person interested in the estate, you may file with the court a formal Request for Special Notice of the filing of an inventory and appraisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in section 1250 of the California Probate Code. A Request for Special Notice form is available from the court clerk.

Attorney for petitioner: ROBERT E. LA CROIX, 5059 Newport Avenue, San Diego, CA 92107.

Lemon Grove Review Oct. 19, 26 & Nov. 2, 1995

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

TS#94-43319CA

YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED JULY 14, 1986. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER.

On NOVEMBER 2, 1995, at 10:00 A.M., SPECIALIZED, INC. as duly appointed Trustee under

and pursuant to Deed of Trust recorded 7-25-86, as inst. No. 86-309402, of Official Records in the office of the County Recorder of SAN DIEGO County, State of CALIFORNIA, executed by THOMAS J. BURKE AN ELIZABETH BURKE, HUSBAND AND WIFE AS JOINT TENANTS

as TRUSTOR, WILL SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTION TO HIGHEST BIDDER FOR CASH (payable at the time of sale in lawful money of the United States) at AT THE FRONT STEPS OF THE COUNTY COURTHOUSE 220 WEST BROADWAY SAN DIEGO, CA all right, title and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust in the property situated in said County and State described as:

A.P.N. 480-653-52

The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 7921 FAWNWOOD LANE, LEMON GROVE, CA 92045

The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein.

Said sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, express or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s), secured by said Deed of Trust with interest thereon, as provided in said note(s), advances, if any under the terms of said Deed of Trust, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust.

The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligation secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of initial publication of the Notice of Sale is \$102,538.13.

The Beneficiary under said Deed of Trust heretofore executed and delivered to the undersigned a written Declaration of Default and Demand for Sale, and a written Notice of Default and Election to Sell. The undersigned caused said Notice of Default and Election to Sell to be recorded in the county where the real property is located.

This is an attempt to collect a debt and any information obtained will be used for that purpose.

Date: 27 SEP 95

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By K. Chandler
K. CHANDLER, TRUSTEE
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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

TS# 20522 MURGUIA 12002077

On November 2, 1995 at 10:00 AM GE Capital Mortgage Trust Deed Services, Inc. as Trustee or Successor Trustee or Substituted Trustee, of that Certain Deed of Trust executed by Richard Anthony Murguia and Maria Rosano Murguia, husband and wife as Joint Tenants and recorded November 12, 1993 as instrument No. 1993-0762824, in book -- page -- of Official Records of San Diego County, California, and pursuant to that certain Notice of Default and Election to Sell thereunder recorded June 16, 1995 as instrument No. 1995-0253801 in Book --, Page --, of Official Records of said County, California, and pursuant to said Deed of Trust sell at public auction for cash, lawful money of the United States of America, at the South entrance to the County Courthouse 220 West Broadway, San Diego, California all that right, title and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust in the property situated in said County and State described as Assessors Parcel No. 576-760-22-00 Lot 43 of Beryvale, in the City of Lemon Grove, County of San Diego, State of California, according to Map Thereof No. 4976, filed in the Office of the County Recorder of San Diego County, May 23, 1962. The street address or other common designation of said property 1727 Dentstone Place, Lemon Grove, CA 91945. Name and address of the beneficiary at whose request the sale is being conducted: GE Capital Mortgage Services, Inc., C/O GE Capital Mortgage Services, Inc., 4680 Hallmark Parkway, San Bernardino, CA 92407-1863. Directions to the above property may be obtained by requesting same, in writing from the beneficiary within 10 days from the first publication of this notice. Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty, express or implied, as to title, possession or encumbrances to satisfy the unpaid balance due on the note secured by said Deed of Trust to wit: \$129,752.11 plus the following estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of this Notice of Sale: estimated trustee's fees and costs in the amount of \$2,480.69, plus interest on the unpaid principal balance at the rate of 8.000000% per annum from November 1, 1994 to date of sale, plus accrued late charges, and advances the beneficiary is authorized or obligated to pay prior to sale. YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED November 4, 1993. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER.

GE Capital Mortgage Trust Deed Services, Inc. as trustee, Michael Gardner, Senior Trust Officer, 4680 Hallmark Parkway, San Bernardino, CA 92407-1863. For information about the status of this trustee's sale, call (916) 387-7728. For information about purchasing this property AFTER FORECLOSURE, contact Veterans Administration Los Angeles Dated: September 30, 1995 ASAP179396 10/12, 10/19, 10/26

YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED JANUARY 11, 1991. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE No. 154377 On November 14, 1995, at 10:00 A.M., the main entrance to the Chicago Building, located at 925 "B" Street in the City of San Diego, County of San Diego, State of California, California Reconveyance Company, a California Corporation, as duly appointed Trustee under that certain Deed of Trust executed by Leroy Dyas and Sandra Dyas, husband and wife as trustors, recorded on January 17, 1991, as Instrument No. 1991-0024812, in Book --, Page --, of Official Records of San Diego County, State of California, under the power of sale therein contained, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, or check as described below, payable at the time of sale in lawful money of the United States of America, without warranty express or implied as to title, use, possession or encumbrances, all right, title and interest now held by it as such Trustee in and to the following described property situated in the aforesaid County and

State, to wit: APN # 480-480-42. The total amount of the unpaid principal balance, interest thereon, together with reasonably estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of this Notice are \$114,357.12. Currently dated Cashiers Checks or Certified Checks payable to the Trustee or bidder are acceptable to Trustee provided proper identification is available. From information which the Trustee deems reliable, but for which Trustee makes no representation or warranty, the street address(es) or other common designation of the above described property is: 2628 Buena Vista Avenue, Lemon Grove CA 92045. Said property is being sold for the purpose of paying the obligations secured by said Deed of Trust including fees and expenses of the Trustee and of Sale. California Reconveyance Company, as said Trustee, By Deborah Brignac - Assistant Vice President, 9451 Corbin Ave, Northridge, California 91324, (818) 775-2575, Dated October 16, 1995 ASAP180683 10/19, 10/26, 11/2

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

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trustee, or substituted trustee pursuant

to the Deed of Trust executed by Francisco S. Ramirez an unmar-

ried man Recorded on 07/31/1990

as Instrument No. 90-414690 in

Book N/A Page N/A of Official re-

records in the office of the County Re-

corider of San Diego County,

California, and pursuant to the No-

tice of Default and Election to Sell

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Book N/A, Page N/A, as Instrument

No. 1995-0261721 of said Official

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situated in said County and State

hereinafter described. As

more fully described on said Deed of

Trust, The property address and

other common designation, if any,

of the real property described above

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Street Lemon Grove, CA 92045.

The undersigned Trustee disclaims

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herein. The total amount of the un-

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of sale is \$120,743.97. In addition to

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Trustee, 4900 Rivergrade Road,

Suite 2870, Inlandale, CA 91706,

(818) 856-4858. By Diana Carlee,

Assistant Secretary, Dated

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Sale. California Reconveyance

Company, as said Trustee, By

Deborah Brignac - Assistant Vice

President, 9451 Corbin Ave,

Northridge, California 91324,

(818) 775-2575, Dated October

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NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The Grossmont Union High School District will receive bids for

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on

November 8, 1995

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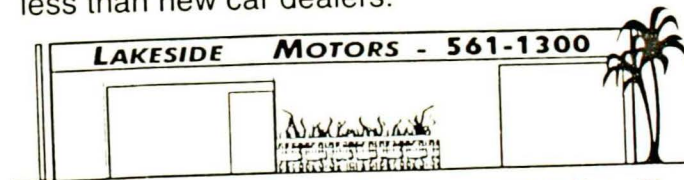
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Lemon Grove Arts News



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November, 1995

Mirabile Ballet - Spring Season

We are making arrangements to kick off Mirabile's Spring Season the weekend of March 9th at the Lyceum Theater. We are planning to continue our Arts for Humanities project with this production. Keep your eyes open for details!

We Need....

Do you have any of these things lying around collecting dust? Consider donating them to your studio. Remember, any donations are tax deductible. We are in need of:

- Photocopy machine
- Office Desk
- Postage Machine
- U-Haul clothing boxes (the type that you hang clothes in, in our case - costumes)

If you have something that you think we can use but is not listed above, please check with Teresa.

!!Thank You Jack Moore For the VCR - It is a vital tool for us, we are very grateful!!

Little Match Girl:

As usual for this time of year, the studio seems to be going crazy - rehearsals are accelerating, the costume crunch of a new production is on, new props are being made, etc, etc. Those of you who have been with us for years know these last few weeks before performance can be very intense! Those of you who are new, welcome to the experience, and everyone - Hang in there, it is going to be a great show!

Rehearsals: Please remember it is imperative that you be at your scheduled rehearsals. Check the rehearsal schedule posted in the lobby or the answering machine. You are responsible for knowing your schedule and being at every rehearsal. Parents, please double check the schedule for your children.

If you or your children are unable to make rehearsals you are responsible for notifying the office in advance.

Tech Rehearsals: There is already a preliminary posting of Tech Rehearsals. Please make a note of those times and watch the board for any changes. Tech Rehearsals are a critical part of presenting this production professionally. Be there!

Volunteers: If you have volunteered for back stage, concessions, or ushering, please check the lobby for a sign up sheet regarding the shows you are available to work. Back stage volunteers need to be at the dress rehearsals too. That is when you will get the details of exactly what you will need to do.

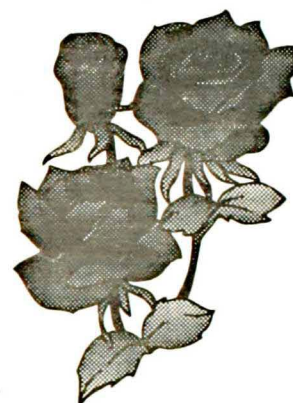
Performances: Everyone should know by now that there are a total of 5 performances. A special group preview performance on Friday, November 10th with curtain at 11:00 a.m.; a Saturday, November 11th 2:00 pm matinee, and special benefit performance Saturday, at 8:00 p.m. with a 6:30 reception in the lobby; a Sunday, November 12th 2:00 p.m. matinee and 7:00 p.m. final performance.

Benefit Performance: As you know, this production is the commencement of our Arts for Humanities project. Proceeds from our Benefit performance will be given to the Saint Vincent De Paul Village. A 6:30 reception in the lobby is planned for that evening. Father Joe Carroll,

the driving force behind the Saint Vincent De Paul Village will be at the reception, light food will be served, we hope to have art work from the resident children at Saint Vincent de Paul Village on display, and with luck we will have a fantastic Gospel Choir as well.

Saint Vincent De Paul Village: For those of you who are not familiar with the Saint Vincent De Paul Village, it is an amazing place! I could take pages writing about it. If you have the opportunity to take a tour, I would highly recommend it. This center offers real hope for people in need and we are very proud to be able to contribute to Father Joe's efforts.

There is still a lot of hard work ahead, so buckle up, and take pride in what you are doing. It is for a truly good cause. Each and every one of us giving our very best will make this a fantastic show and rewarding experience for everyone - cast, audience, and Father Joe! The potential is there, let's realize it!



Lemon Grove Arts Presents Hans Christian Andersen's Tale of The Little Match Girl November 11 & 12 East County Performing Arts Center Featuring the Lemon Grove Players and Mirabile Ballet

This Holiday Season, Lemon Grove Arts is pleased to present Hans Christian Andersen's heart rending tale of The Little Match Girl. This moving tale of a poverty stricken young girl who dreams of a better life commences our Arts for Humanities program. Our Arts for Humanities program is designed to bring attention and support to homeless people in San Diego. Proceeds from the Benefit Performance, Saturday, November 11, 1995 6:30 p.m. reception - 8:00 p.m. performance, will be given to The Saint Vincent De Paul Village in its fight against homelessness. The Saint Vincent De Paul Village is an incredible organization dedicated to giving homeless people their dignity through responsibility, retraining, and providing the necessities of life to allow for their successful reentry into our society. We often forget that too many of the homeless are families with children. This Holiday season, come and enjoy a different Holiday tale and provide real hope to the homeless. Start a new Holiday tradition! Rekindle the Holiday spirit of Community!

The Community Arts Advisory Council, a non-profit organization, was founded in 1986 by professional artists with the mission of increasing the quality and quantity of affordable cultural opportunities in the San Diego area. The Lemon Grove Arts Complex was established in 1989 to house educational and performance programming in dance, drama and visual arts. Many of our students have transitioned to professional careers in the arts. We have successfully produced full length productions of ballets and plays, including five consecutive years of "The Nutcracker" and concert tours by our Ballet Company, Mirabile. Our Theater Company, The Lemon Grove Players, has produced original plays, one-acts and most recently the critically acclaimed musical "Hair", which was picked up and co-produced by the Lyceum Theater.

Mirabile Ballet Company was formed in 1990 with the goal of bringing the art of dance to audiences in local and outlying communities. It is a training program for dancers on a pre-professional level, for new choreographers, and also welcomes the matured and experienced dancer. The Mirabile Ballet Company is housed at the Lemon Grove Arts Complex where most of the dancers study year-round. The Complex, run by the Community Arts Advisory Council, is a non-profit agency dedicated to assisting lower income individuals who wish to study the arts. For more information please contact us at 469-7020.

Special Youth Group Preview Performance, November 10 at 11:00 a.m.
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